THE DAILY INDEPENDENT.

VOL. 5. NO. 38 MONESSEN, PA., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1906. SIX CENTS THE WEEK

WEATHER MARS SUCCESS OF MERCHANTS PICNIC.

Although Hundreds of People Flocked to Lynn's Grove Many were Kept Away by Jupiter Pluvius.

Despite the threatening condition of the weather the merchants picnic to-day at Lynns grove promises to be a success People were somewhat nervous up until about 11 o'clock for fear it would start to rain, but after that time they began to go.

Business was practically suspended this forenoon, the banks closing at 11 o'clock and this afternoon the town had a deserted appearance. At 1 o'clock it began a slight drizzle which kept many of the people away who had intended going

Wagon loads of provisions donated by the grocers went to the grounds at an early hour, and in addition to this many families took well filled baskets. An abundance of good things to eat was in store for every person on the grounds. Several church picnics were held in conjunction with the affair to-day, and had it not been for the interference of threatening weather, everybody would have had a good time and the crowd would have been much larger. The members of the Holly Club left on the 1 o'clock car for the grove, but their contemplated meeting will likely be called off

At the time of writing the indications are that the entire list of contests will have to be done away with.

LOPRESTO HELD FOR COURT.

Young Italian Who Shot Smere Boy Last May Must Answer Charge of Felonous Shooting.

Tony Lopresto a young Italian was given a hearing before Squire A. N. Shuster last evening on a charge of felonous shooting brought by Charles Smere on behalf of his 10-year-old son, Ludwick. The shooting occurred last May. A number of boys were playing in a field back of town, when a flobert rifle in the hands of Lopresto was in some manner discharged, the ball taking effect in the left shoulder of the Smere boy.

At the time of the shooting the parents of young Lopresto are said to have agreed to pay the doctor bill and also to stand the expense of the lads treatment at the hospital. They have since refused to comply with their agreement, hence the suit At the hearing last night no direct evidence was produced to show that the shooting had been done with any malicious intent. The local physician who attended the lad testified as to the course and effect of the bullet, which has never been located According to his testimony the lad may never regain the use of his shoulder. Lopresto's story of the shooting was to the effect that the Smere boy was beneath him when the gun went off, that he was holding it under his arm, and that his hand was nowhere near the trigger. The physicians statement as to the course of the bullet however would tend to show that to be practically impossible. After the evidence in the case had all been taken Attorney Reamer, who represented the defendants, made his plea

Squire Shuster reserved his decision until 9 o'clock this morning, when Lopresto was held under $300 bail for his appearance at court.

Charleroi Looses Another

Charleroi was beaten by Washington yesterday by the score of 8 to 7. Charleroi made seven runs in the first inning but after that could not get a runner round the circuit.

After an up-hill fight Washington finally landed the game.

STORM DOES MUCH DAMAGE

Irwin, Pa. Aug 7th.—A rainstorm passed over this locality this afternoon doing many thousands of dollars damage. At Etna, south of here, the coal company dam burst The rushing water swept away a number of bridges and flooded the town. A deal of damage is also reported at Madison. On the road near that town Henry Rupe of Wilmerding, who was driving to Irwin, went down with a bridge and was swept into the stream He managed to get to the bank and finally rescued his horse.

In Irwin, Linker run and Brush creek went out of their banks and did much damage. The Shaffer Lumber Company was the greatest sufferer. Adam Shaffer was on a lumber pile that was struck by the first rush of water. He went down with the boards and was nearly drowned.

At Larimer what was called a cloud burst flooded many buildings to the second story. In the McKay building the destruction was complete, tenants in the first story losing all their possessions. On account of the water the Larimer mine was closed.

CAN CARRY MEDICINE

Mail Carriers on Rural Routes can Carry it in Liquid Form

The Postmaster General has just made a ruling concerning the handling of medicine by rural carriers which is of interest to all druggists and patrons of rural routes. That gentleman has decided that unless packed in accordance with the postal laws, liquid medicines in bottles cannot be transmitted through the mails; but that carriers may carry such matter outside the mails for hire, fee for such service to be paid by the patrons for whom it is performed, and not from the dealer from whom the goods are obtained.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will hold a social tomorrow, Thursday evening, at Lady Wireback's, Donner avenue, in honor of Mistress of Arms Mrs. Al. Blois who is leaving for Clarksburg. All members are urged to be present.

FRANK IS ALL RIGHT.

Letter Received at the Independent Office Tells of Doings of Friend Irwin.

The Editor of this paper received a friendly letter from our former townsmen Frank W. Irwin who is now located in Bwabik Minn It states that Mrs Irwins health has not been good at that place and that they intend going to Helena, Montana in a few days. Frank though is well and is cutting some high capers out there.

The day he wrote the letter he shot thirty one jack rabbits in a period of two hours from his front door steps. Last week he shot a catamount weighing 150 pounds dressed. The beast had been a pest to the community for a long time and some of the older residents had left the place fearing it would break into their homes and kill them.

He says the wolves are awful bold out there they come howling around his place and it is almost impossible to get any sleep, but if his life is spared another week he is going to lay some of them flat. In closing the letter he makes an apology for its brevity as "the Automobile is waiting outside."

It is certainly gratifying to us to know that Frank is "doing things" but we would hate to hear of him going into Death valley and joining Scotty's band of scouts.

INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

Fred Alexander and family are in Pittsburg today visiting friends.

Dr. Barben, Dentist — Office always open, never closed.

In the race for first place at Kirk's fountain, nut sundae proves a winner.

Light will give a pepsin tablet to each dyspeptic at the Merchants picnic.

The Souvenir Club of Monongahela will give a dance this evening at Eldora park.

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Miss Katie Klein, Janavitz's Milliner, spent the day with her parents in McKeesport.

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W. J. Michae's, of the Pittsburg Film exchange, was visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs M. J. Cramer.

One soda will help to keep your mouth turned up at the corners. Thatcher's Drug Store, 550 Donner avenue.

S Lamb of the Page mill left last evening for Adrian Michigan where he will spend a two weeks vacation.

R. L. Veschio will leave Sunday for Brookville, Washington county, where beginning on Monday he will interpret an important Italian case for the District Attorney.

Razors: Up and down, up to $3 00 and down to $1 25. Pi-co Brand. Razor Strops. Light's Drug Store.

E. C. Manown who is employed by the Page Fence Co., as fence builder is at present working in Pittsburg

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Policeman Chas. Kepple left this morning for Jeannette and will return to me this evening accompanied by his wife who has been visiting friends there the past few weeks.

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Don't hesitate to send your children to my store with prescriptions if you are prevented from coming yourself I take special pains to be prompt and careful with children. Kirk's Drug Store.

A marriage license was taken out in Washington county Monday in the names of Stanford Patterson, of Pricedale, and Margaret Ann Wilkinson, of Monessen.—Monongahela Republican.

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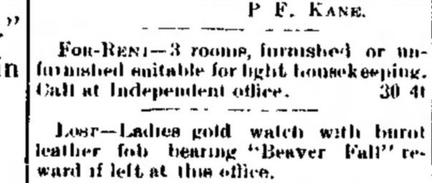

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THE GIRL WITH THE BONNY BROWN HAIR

[Original.]

"Grandpa, tell us about the worst storm you ever saw at sea," said Tommy, aged eight.

"No, don't," protested his little sister. "I'll tell you about a storm in which we were all saved."

"That'll be nice," said the girl.

"We left Naples on the 4th of November with twenty passengers. Among them was a girl who seemed to be alone. There was character enough in her face for a dozen heroines. She had brown hair, and when I first saw her it was tied up with a bonny blue ribbon like the girl in the song. I was second mate, and whenever she came on deck the cap'n was sure to growl at me for some neglect of duty. But I didn't mind it so long as I could see the girl with brown hair.

"We had pleasant weather in the Mediterranean, but we'd no sooner left Gibraltar than a nor'easter began to blow which developed into the worst storm I ever saw at sea. The waves struck us with such force that every time one fell on us I thought we'd never rise from under it. At last one bigger than the rest struck us and stove in a portion of the deck. We had all we could do to keep the ship's head in the right direction, and the pumps must be manned at once, so that we couldn't spare men to repair the deck, and they couldn't repair it in such a storm anyway. The best we could do was to cover the gap with a sail, but the next big wave that came shoved the canvas down like tissue paper.

"There was such an uproar among the passengers that the cap'n told me to go down into the cabin and try to quiet 'em. As soon as I left the companionway I saw the most terrible sight imginable. Some of 'em were praying, some holding on to stanchions, white as ghosts, while the water, knee deep, swashed with the rolling of the ship. Some of 'em had got up on to the table that ran the length of the cabin to escape the water.

"The first single person I saw was the girl with the bonny brown hair. She was helping an old woman to keep from being dashed against things when the ship lurched. As soon as she saw me she beckoned me to come to her and said:

"'These people are in the condition of children, and, having taught children, I know how important it is to keep their minds occupied. Can't we find something to turn their attention?'

"'I propose something.'

"'What do you say to a game of "pussy wants a corner?"'

"I was so encouraged by her coolness that I would have joined her in any scheme, however ludicrous. Turning, I said to the passengers:

"'We're coming out of this, but you people are spoiling your chances by demoralizing the crew with your howls. We must have something to do, and we will be as cool as the men. Come, let's have a game of pussy wants a corner.'

"The girl and I each backed up against a stanchion, and another man and another woman presently did the same. A young boy of fifteen was induced to come into the game, and the girl and I made a rush to change corners. I let the boy in purposely and kept out of a corner for some time, every now and then dragging some one into the game. In five minutes we had all the ablebodied people in it, and the game was in full swing. I made a lunge for a corner, fell purposely against a cabin wave and got up drenched. Several persons laughed. The next time anything ludicrous happened more laughed, and finally everybody in and some out of the game were laughing. I never missed an opportunity for doing something comical, nor did the girl. Her hair came down, and once when the water by the rolling of the ship was thrown all together she swam and shouted that she was a mermaid. Then I dived with a swash under the table and, coming up, slid into a vacant corner.

"All this was very well, but we couldn't keep it up forever. We did so as long as we could; then the girl whispered in my ear as I passed her, 'Blind man's buff.' I whipped out my handkerchief, and she tied it over my eyes, taking care that a place was left for me to see through. This gave me a fine opportunity to put myself into ludicrous positions, and in a few minutes I was playing my part amid shouts of laughter. Suddenly I heard the cap'n's gruff voice roar down the companionway with the strength of a fog horn:

"'Steamer ahead!'

"I tore the handkerchief off my head and dashed on deck, knowing that critical work was to be done getting in touch with the coming ship. As the storm was the biggest, the sight before me was the gladdest I ever saw in my life, a great big steamer on our port quarter coming right for us.

"We were all safely transferred, and our own ship drifted away. She kept sinking lower and lower till at last, half an hour after leaving her, we saw her go down. Close call, wasn't it?"

"What became of the girl with the bonny brown hair?" asked both the children at once.

"Oh, the girl! She turned out to be a teacher in one of the public schools in the port I hailed from."

"Didn't you ever see her any more?"

"Oh, yes; quite frequently. I see her every day. Her hair now, instead of being bonny brown, is snowy white."

He looked knowingly at grandma, who was darning stockings.

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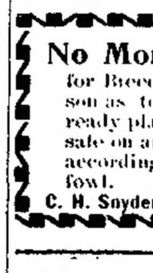

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By CHARLES FREEMAN

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John Ellison slowly descended from the carriage and turned toward the house. He walked slowly and with the bearing of a man utterly dejected. Nettie, watching him from the veranda, dropped her work and ran toward him.

"Was it any better today?" she asked anxiously. Her father shook his head.

"The day force went out when they came to work," he said. "The night force stopped work about 2 o'clock this morning."

"Don't you think that Ted could help?" she pleaded. "He knows the men so well."

"I told Raymond that I would not have him about the works again," said the old man bitterly. "Have you broken your pledge?"

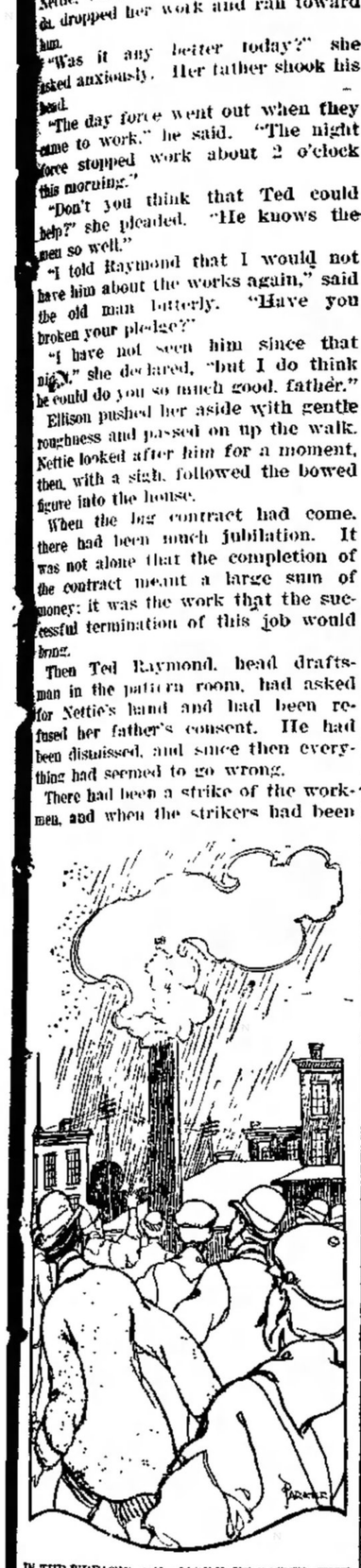
"I have not seen him since that night," she declared, "but I do think he could do you so much good, father."

Ellison pushed her aside with gentle roughness and passed on up the walk. Nettie looked after him for a moment, then, with a sigh, followed the bowed figure into the house.

When the big contract had come there had been much jubilation. It was not alone that the completion of the contract meant a large sum of money; it was the work that the successful termination of this job would bring.

Then Ted Raymond, head draftsman in the pattern room, had asked for Nettie's hand and had been refused her father's consent. He had been dismissed, and since then everything had seemed to go wrong.

There had been a strike of the workmen, and when the strikers had been



IN THE WREATHS OF SMOKE FLOATED THE DEAD ENGINEER'S IMAGE.

replaced with new men the newcomers had refused to remain in the plant, declaring it to be haunted.

The engineer employed to replace the striker had disappeared after the first night's work, and it was declared that he had been thrown into the furnace.

Night after night his phantom form could be seen hovering in the smoke and steam from the stack and exhaust pipes, and no man dared remain, the fear of the night shift communicating itself to the day force.

Raymond always had a good influence over the men, and Nettie felt certain that he would be able to adjust matters, but she had given her pledge not even to speak to him, and she could not urge him to take up the work.

It was late that night and Nettie was combing her hair when there came a gentle tap on the door, and she opened it to admit her father. She was shocked at the change that had come over him in the few hours since dinner. His face was seamed with furrows and his form stooped with care.

"I have been thinking over what you said," he began without preface as she assisted him to a chair. "I do not want to break my word, but absolute ruin stares me in the face. If Raymond can stop this fear of the supernatural in the men I will take back what I said and accept him as my son-in-law. Will you send him to me in the morning?"

"Are things as bad as that?" she asked. Ellison nodded.

"Unless I can obtain a permanent force by the end of the week," he said, "it will be impossible to complete this contract in time."

"And this is only Tuesday," she mused. "Ted can do it."

Ellison went away comforted. Apart from what he termed his presumption, he liked the man with his clean cut incisive manner and quick comprehension. Somehow he felt that herein lay the solution.

The next day there was consternation in the strikers' camp. The pickets reported that Ted had been made superintendent of the works. They liked him, but also they feared him.

That night gave Ted his first view of the specter. He remained with the night shift, and shortly after midnight there was a cry of alarm in the yard, and he rushed out to find the men all staring at the huge smokestack.

There in the swirling wreaths of smoke floated the dead engineer's image. Once or twice the specter vanished, only to reappear again, and for twenty minutes the men stared. Then, as if moved by a single impulse, they went to their lockers, and an hour later Ted and the old watchman were left alone in the yard.

The day shift went to work, as usual, but it was not long before the men grew uneasy. There were no apparitions in the daytime, but they felt nervous at the thought that the spirit of the murdered man hovered over the works.

At the noon hour they talked it over, and when the whistle blew for the return to work they went to the office in a body. They found Ted busy with some bits of glass covered with red paint. He looked up as the spokesman entered.

"Better make it short," he said quietly. "I suppose you do not want to keep on working in a haunted foundry."

"That's right," declared the leader. "We can't stand it."

"Think you can hold out through the afternoon?" he asked. "We are going to give a little ghost party tonight. Keep at it until knock-off time comes, and the two shifts will have supper together."

"Won't that ghost be around tonight?" demanded the leader suspiciously. "It may be all foolishness, but you saw it yourself last night."

"I hope to again this evening," he said. "That is where the fun will come. Like to be a ghost yourself tonight?"

Something in Ted's manner convinced the committee. The members went out into the yard and advised a return to work. All the afternoon there was an evident dislike of going into dark corners alone, and the engineer shivered every time the draft made the furnace roar, but they all stuck to the work and shared in the party at 6 o'clock.

"It will be dark enough by 9 to have the party," declared Ted. "When the whistle blows come into the yard and don't be afraid."

Just before 9 Nettie and her father came whirling up, and a few minutes later the whistle blew its summons. The men trooped into the yard and gathered about in little knots, whispering to themselves. Presently from the stack there arose a dense white smoke, and almost immediately the ghost of the dead engineer appeared. With a cry the men drew together, and a moment later Madison, the spokesman of the morning, came toward Ted.

"The boys want to know if you are going to keep your word," he said roughly. "You said you was going to fix that ghost."

"So I am," said Ted evenly. "I said, too, that I was going to make a ghost of you. Look up."

With a shriek Madison fell to the ground, writhing in terror. There in the smoke wreaths was his own face. Ted's face followed and in turn a dozen of the others. Then the light died away and Ted mounted the steps of the office.

"Boys," he said in a voice that penetrated every part of the yard, "I promised you that I would lay that ghost. I think I have done so. It was a clever stage trick. The strikers are using Jones' hall across the street for their meetings. You can see that the tower is about level with the stack. When fresh coal was put on and the smoke was heavy it acted as a screen for a magic lantern in the tower. That was all there was to it. When they went up to work the lantern tonight I had the police there to catch them, and my own man worked the lantern for this little seance. One of the men they caught was the engineer himself. He is no more dead than I am. Are you satisfied to go back to work? We have a big contract, and I want to know that you boys will stick."

"You bet we will!" came the chorus and Ted turned to Nettie.

"Let's go over to the house and have our own celebration," he suggested.

Water Butterflies.

Real water butterflies spread their lovely wings in the clear wavelets of the blue Mediterranean. Their scientific name is pteropoda, or wing footed. The commonest is perhaps the "boat butterfly." His body seems formed round a tiny brown kernel, the size of a grain of wheat, and is covered with a shell soft as gristle and almost transparent. His wings are large, round and clear as glass—so clear that before they can be examined they must be put in a saucer of water against a black ground. The shell is so loose that a mere touch separates it from the body. All the sea butterflies have on their tongues rows of strong pointed hooks. They are all flesh eaters. It is wonderful to watch through the transparent shell and almost equally transparent body the motions of the heart. These butterflies lay eggs, just like the land ones, and, like the land ones, are fond of warmth and light.

Treating Open Wounds.

In the treatment of open wounds, where there has been surface injury only and the discharge has not been great, much benefit has been found to follow the simple plan of treatment here described. The part is well washed with warm water. It is patted dry. Then it is very freely covered with boric acid powder. Over all is laid a piece of linen. Now adhesive plaster is cut into strips so long that they can go right across the linen and be attached to the healthy skin. By means of six or more of such strips the linen is securely fixed. Over this is placed a piece of cotton wool. Finally the part is neatly bandaged. Practically no air is now excluded from the sore part, and this is the reason for whatever good may result. The dressings are removed at the end of seven or ten days. The part is washed, then treated as before.

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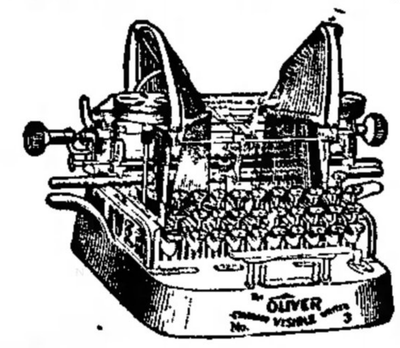

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WEBSTER NOTES.

Ira Pugh, of Monessen, was a business visitor in town to day.

Miss Ida Reeder, of Monessen, spent a part of last evening in town calling on friends.

H. C. Deny, salesman for a Chicago Farming Implement Co., was a business visitor in town this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goontz and daughter, Fannie, are visiting relatives at Dogg's Hollow this week.

A number of our local base ball fans will see the Charleroi-Cumberland game at Charleroi this afternoon.

A. Berghammor, of Little Rock, Ohio, is spending yesterday in town with friends. Mr. Berghammer was formerly of Milesville.

The work of remodeling the public school building is progressing nicely. Operations were suspended today and yesterday on account of the wet weather.

Sheriff Sales.

Sheriff Seanor will sell the following properties at the court house on Friday, August 21, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon:

Hotel property in Monessen and land in Sewickely township, property of William H. Foster, deceased and Adam Brantegam; at the suit of the Pittsburg Brewing company.

House and lot in Monessen, property of Lizzie and John H Wilkins, at the suit of Samuel Daugherty.

House and lot in Monessen, property of Jesse J. B. Wall, at the suit of Harry R Pore.

Grand Boat Excursion.

The Monongahela Italian band and the Charleroi Italian band together have chartered the steamer Beauty for Sunday Aug 19th. The two bands jointly will run an excursion from Brownsville to Kennywood park, stopping at the park four hours. Fare for the round trip will be 50 cents, children free. Both bands will give concerts on the boat and at the Park. A first class Italian Orchestra will be furnished on the boat. 38-11t

Wants to Disburse School Money.

If the school districts of the state which have not yet filed their reports will send in the papers properly certified, the remainder of the appropriation for the support of the schools can be paid off in a week's time. There are over three hundred of the 2,400 districts which have failed to make reports, and they cannot receive a cent until they comply with the law.

Hotel Keeper is Mysteriously Missing.

G. A. Artz, proprietor of the Carrolton hotel on the opposite side of the Monongahela river from Monongahela, is mysteriously missing. Artz boarded an east bound train on the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad Sunday and has not been heard from since. He had with him $1,800. It is feared he has met with foul play.

Predicts Frost.

Peter Kepples, one of the oldest residents of Westmoreland county, who visited his nephew, ex-Mayor Shuster of this city, predicts a heavy frost between August 1 and 10. We must begin to feel as though Mr. Kepple is going to be a failure this time as a prophet unless there is a decided change in the atmosphere during the next few days.

Reduced Rates to Conellsville.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, account Centennial Coke Exposition, August 14 to 17. Excursion tickets on sale August 14, 14 and 15, good returning until August 20, inclusive, from Fairchance, Cokeville Junction, West Brownsville, Pittsburg, Butler, Kittanning, Allegheny City Belt Line, Bennington Furnace, Kaylor, Scalp Level, Windber, Dunlo and intermediate stations. Consult Ticket Agents. Aug. 3-7-13.

Winning Lois

By FRANK H. SWEET

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"What's that? How did I come to give my consent? Well, I don't know as I ever did. It was one of the things that just come about—happen, you know, as if 'twas made to be so. I never did have much use for white hands and store clothes and a soft voice. Seemed to me they went mostly with card sharps and men who wa'n't willing to work, and Lois felt the same. Her great idea in a man was courage, ready to risk life and all for anything that seemed right, especially if a woman was in it, and to us that kind of a man had big brown hands and broad back and loud voice, and he always

"HE JUST CAME AND TOOK HIS SCORN AND JOKED AND LAUGHED."

wore rough clothes, which showed he wa'n't afraid to work and never thought about how he looked.

"So when Jim Furness saw her from a parlor car window one day and threw his baggage off and lost his ticket just through a crazy idea of winning her Lois turned him down so quick that I didn't have a chance to say a word, mad as I was. You know how Lois is when she's stirred up like this. She just looks and turns away, and there's no need for her nor anybody else to say a word.

"Well, with other folks that would have ended it, but Jim he just turned round and got a job firing on a local engine that helped pull freight up our side of the divide. You see, he seemed to understand by instinct that Lois and I believed in work and didn't care for dressed up effect. But, pshaw! You know how it is with Jim. Put him on the dirtiest job going and his hands will stay white and soft like a girl's, and the roughest clothes ever was have a way of hanging on him like they were tailor made, and, as to his voice, if you turned his engine end over and down the mountain, when it got to the bottom Jim's voice, if he had any left, would be as soft and drawling as ever.

"We saw a good deal of Jim now, for, with me as station agent and our living rooms upstairs, Lois and I were sort of chums with everything on the railroad. Maybe that was what started Jim to getting his job so quick and having it so he could switch back and forth in front of the station every few hours and stay in our town over night. Maybe he figured that just being a railroad man would be a sort of recommendation.

"But if so it didn't seem to help him much. There were big, strapping engineers on the road who had done things, risked life and looked square at death without winking, and there were conductors and section bosses and one local superintendent and a passenger agent who liked Lois and who would have been glad for her to have liked them, and nearly all had done things. You see, our section right along here is a tough piece of road, and all the employees who have been on it a few years and are not killed have stories to tell. Now I—but Lois hates personal talk that touches on brag, so it doesn't matter.

"But, as I was saying, pretty much the whole road liked Lois, and Lois, she liked the whole road as a whole, but wouldn't single out any one in particular. And, as for Jim, she scorned him openly, and he knew it.

"Now, I didn't like Jim myself, so of course I couldn't feel the pity for him that I would for anybody else. But, pshaw! If he felt it he never showed by any signs. He just came and took his scorn and joked and laughed and made us laugh and then came back for more scorn the very next time his engine pulled in. Now, I ask candidly what can you do with a fellow like that? The others laughed at him, and he laughed with them. Then after a while some of the more rough ones, thinking him soft and good natured and without backbone, went a little too far, and his white fingers closed together like steel springs, and more than one of them had to lay off for repairs. But Jim didn't seem to hold any grudges. He laughed and talked to those who treated him the worst until they had to laugh and talk back, and then the first anybody knew they were all the best of friends.

"But the strangest part, of course, was about Lois. Jim never did a single brave thing so far as I know, risk his life in saving a train of passengers or anything like that, and he spent a lot of money in helping people in one way and another—a good deal more than his salary could possibly amount to—and either of these things was enough to keep Lois scornful. She had no use at all for a man unless he was brave and no use for one who wasn't absolutely honest, and of course spending more than one earned would seem to have only one meaning.

"However, Jim kept right on in his quiet, good natured way until he had made the railroad men his friends, and even Lois and I began to look forward to his spending an evening, things went off so swinging and pleasant-like.

"No, I don't know as he ever did ask me in so many words for my consent or even if he asked Lois. It all came about as if 'twas made to be so, minister and all, and it wa'n't until after they were married and gone to his home that we found out he was one of the biggest owners of the railroad, with more money than he could throw away. That first time he saw Lois he was just from college and gone into partnership with his father and was taking an observation trip over their road.

"His father like it? Seemed so. Anyway he's never said or looked a word against it when I've been there, and he's just as proud of Lois as Jim himself. And Lois, why, up there the city is just full of society queens, as they call them, and Lois leads the whole lot—takes to it naturally, they say, just like she's always took to everything. I go up once a year, and they all treat me like a king, and Jim, especially if he's got some big nabob visiting, as he generally has, button holes me and tells that story about—but Lois hates personal talk that touches on brag, so it doesn't matter. You see, she might hear."

How She Cured Him.

An impecunious young lawyer whose lack of clients, says a writer in the New York Sun, has sometimes caused him to visit a pawnshop told the following story, in which the joke was on himself.

My mother gave me a gold watch, which was often of more service to me as a pledge on which to borrow money in a pawnshop than as a timepiece. It grieved her to know that I made such use of her gift, and several times she furnished the means of redeeming it.

One day, when I had gone a particularly long time without my watch, mother demanded the pawn ticket. Within a week she handed me my watch, and I promised, as usual, not to pawn it again. But the necessity returned, and I had recourse to the loan office.

The pawnbroker glanced at the time piece and opened the inner case. His manner became formal. "Where did you get this watch?" he inquired.

"It was a present," I replied.

"Well, I'm going to hold it until you can prove it's yours," he declared, and then, by way of explanation, "I suppose you didn't read what's engraved on the case?"

"No," I said faintly.

"I'll read it to you. 'If this watch is offered for sale or pawn notify Mrs. ——, —— street. Reward.'"

There was nothing to do but go home and make a clean breast of it.

A Universal Language Exists.

"A universal language has existed since man's birth, the language of the gesture."

The speaker, an ethnologist, sharpened his left forefinger with his right forefinger as one sharpens a pencil.

"That gesture means 'Shame! Hiss for shame!' he said. "It means that the world over. Use it on a savage woman in New Guinea or on the king of England, and both alike will understand you."

He shook his fist.

"That is a threat," he said. "The world over it is a threat."

Holding his forefinger a little to the right of his face, he shook it.

"A warning," he said. "Wherever man exists, there the shaken forefinger means a warning."

"So," he concluded, "I could go on indefinitely, giving you one by one the signs that compose our universal gesture language. Since this language exists and since everybody understands it, I see no reason why new universal languages should be continually invented, particularly since these new ones are very difficult to learn."—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Not All In the Air.

The incident below—which Daniel Coit Gilman, LL. D., late president of Johns Hopkins university, incorporated in his sheaf of remembrances, "The Launching of a University and Other Papers"—could not happen at the present time, when each new institution of learning has its millionaire sponsor. It belongs to the pioneer period of education, when starting a college meant breaking the wilderness.

A gentleman, President Gilman says, once introduced himself to Dr. Day, then president of Yale, as chancellor of a western state university.

"How large a faculty have you?" President Day inquired, with genuine interest.

"No! any," answered the western gentleman.

"Have you any library or buildings?"

"Not yet."

"Any endowment?"

"None."

"What have you, then?" persisted President Day.

The visitor's countenance brightened. "We have a very good charter," said he.

NIAGARA FALLS.

Special Low-Rate Excursion via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On Saturday, August 11, the Pennsylvania Railroad company will run a special low-rate excusion to Niagra Falls from Pittsburg and principal stations in its vicinity. Excursion tickets, good for return passage until August 15, inclusive will be sold from Lock No 4 at $5.75 good only on trains leaving 7:09 and 10:41 a.m. and 7:53 p. m. Consult Ticket Agents. Aug. 3 7-10.

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